

Wallace, of Caroline county, whilst acting as Justice of the Peace for said county.

On motion of Mr. Touchstone,

Leave was granted to the Committee on the Chesapeake Bay and its Tributaries to report a bill to amend section 10, Article 41, Code of Public General Laws, relating to fisheries.

On motion of Mr. Veitch,

Leave was granted to the Committee on the Judiciary to introduce a bill to repeal section 59, Article 6, Code of Public General Laws, title "Appeals," sub-title "Appeals from Justices of the Peace."

On motion of Mr. Owens,

Leave was granted to the Committee on Claims to introduce a bill to refund to Thomas Terry, Collector of the 5th Election district of Cecil county, the sum of thirty-seven dollars and fifty-one cents, (\$37.51,) erroneously paid into the Treasury for the year 1867.

On motion of Mr. Kean,

Leave was granted to the Allegany county delegation to introduce a bill entitled, an Act to change the name of the Mutual Coal Company, of Allegany county, to that of the Maryland Coal Company, and to confirm a decree of the Circuit Court for Allegany county, changing said name.

On motion of Mr. Winters,

Leave was granted to the Committee on Pensions to place the name of Mary Burk, widow of John Burk, who served in the war of 1812, on the pension list with others.

The Secretary of the Senate returned the bill entitled, an Act to authorize the Register of Wills for Howard county, to examine, perfect and index certain records in his office, and to authorize and provide for services so rendered.

Endorsed, "passed by yeas and nays."

Mr. Merrick, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, submitted the following

#### JOINT RESOLUTIONS.

WHEREAS, The Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company hath committed various acts of misuser and abuser of its charter and franchises, and hath violated the provisions of the eighth section of the Act of December session, 1832, chapter 175; and for the space of eighteen months hath withheld, and now finally refuses to pay over to the State the just